

STATUS OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-35, 69-87, and 94-129 are cancelled.

Claims 36-68, 88-93, and 130 are pending in the application.

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed June 27, 2006, ("Office Action") the Examiner has restricted claims of the present application to one of two species, namely: "single wall carbon nanotubes and multi wall carbon nanotubes." Office Action, at 2.

Applicant hereby, without traverse, elects to pursue the **single wall carbon nanotubes** species in the present Application. Claims readable on this elected species are Claims 36-68, 88-93, and 130 of which Claims 36-37, 39, 43-63, 67, 88-89, and 91-93 are generic (in that they are readable on both the elected species and the non-elected species).

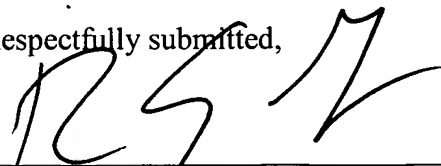
Applicant does not believe that any additional fee is due at this time. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 23-2426 of WINSTEAD SECHREST & MINICK P.C. (referencing matter 11321-P022WUD1).

If the Examiner has any questions or comments concerning this paper or the present application in general, the Examiner is invited to call the attorney below.

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